

Our Daily Bread

Sliced Thin by The Editor
Alex. H. Washburn

Good News on
Troubled Labor
Front for 1948

This morning's announcement that General Motors and the CIO United Automobile Workers union have signed a new contract and averted a threatened strike of 225,000 workers this week points the way to peace for a million persons employed in the automotive industry.

The company settled for a fraction of the union's claims, and this action is almost certain to scale down the demands of the Chrysler workers, already on strike for two weeks, and bring a quiet end to that dispute. Likewise, the General Motors settlement points to peace in the big Ford plants, where the company is bargaining with the union for elimination of the higher wage differential paid by Ford over its competitors.

Elsewhere there continue to be threatening signs on the labor horizon, but one may see compromise and settlement, whereas only a couple of weeks ago looked as though 1948 promised nothing but strikes, hard feelings, lowered production, and new high prices.

The coal miners, already haled into court and taxed for delaying the government, are again threatening to strike over the terms of a new contract with the operators; and the government has gone so far as to ask a federal court for an injunction to compel continuance of contract discussions by the miners. But the pattern of wage settlements in the automotive plants gives hope that the real issue between the miners and the operators may not be wages so much as settlement of the still-unsettled pension controversy. And there was compromise in the auto plants there can and will be compromise in the mine pits also.

Darkest of all the labor pictures is that of the railroads, where labor and management have broken off all contact and left the roads in the hands of the government. Today the Army is operating the roads, and the disagreement between employer and employee must be bridged before the government can return operations to private ownership.

One probable effect of the railroad impasse will be further amendment of the Railway Labor Act to provide that when it becomes necessary to resort to the final step of calling in a presidential commission to arbitrate differences between management and labor the findings of said commission shall be binding on both sides. Negotiations broke down and the roads landed in the government's lap because under present law the power of the presidential commission is advisory only. But if arbitration is going to be thrust upon both sides by Army control of the roads, as in effect today, it might as well be entrusted earlier to a civilian commission representing, as it does, labor, capital, and the public.

Basically, I imagine the railroad problem is to compromise the wage issue and at the same time keep labor from blocking out the effect of more efficient railway equipment by demanding drastic changes in working rules. The charge is raised that labor is trying to hold all positions required under steam operation despite the fact that the roads are moving steadily toward diesel operations. But the general interest must be observed on this score, and reasonable savings in the conversion from steam to diesel must be fairly divided between the workers and the wage-paying public.

Wallace's 'Private' Dinner May set New Campaign Style

BY JAMES THATCHER

American pointers had finally come up with something new. It's the one-the-red-sleeved speech by a presidential candidate in the manner of, and, to date, the sole posturer of this novel scenario is Harry A. Wallace, who tried it out on a select few in rhinestone on the couch.

Some of Mr. Wallace's backers gave a cozy little "private" dinner for \$50. It cost the guests ten bucks a head. But the press couldn't buy, beg, or buy their way in. No, for Mr. Wallace was going to talk on the record. And apparently they were going to pass me not for any change we guest had ever paying for the victuals. For, according to one source, it was explained that the presence of reporters might induce potential contributors.

At about the same time some people in Mr. Truman's camp were complaining that a network had neglected to broadcast one of our President's speeches to the nation. And, in Oregon, Mr. Stevenson and Governor Lee were securing enough greeters, school children, Indians, and visitors, and padding on, to a 12-hour ratings day to secure the question of how on-the-record can you get?

But Mr. Wallace seemingly was content to come on his own to a circle of intimates. Just what a candidate would have to say to the members of the general public that would be on the record is possibly something that only Mr. Wallace knows. But the idea has its merits.

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Minor Accident Results in Arrest of One

James O. Green was arrested here last night following an accident about 2:30 p.m. yesterday on Hazel Street which involved a second auto owned by Buck Hughey. Two charges have been filed against Green. He is alleged to have left the scene of an accident and is charged with being drunk according to police records.

Planes Shepherds Shepherds Moscow (67). A group of sheep herds and several flocks at sheep were saved from starvation meat. McRae, Jim Bearden, Robert Evans and Powell White; County treasurer—C. N. Trimble, R. C. Stuart, L. L. Pilkinton, R. W. Muldrow, C. M. Lewis, J. Frank Ward and Lillie Middlebrooks; Circuit Clerk—Willie Harris, Frank Hicks, Lex Wolff, M. A. Holt and Dan Harkness.

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Seniors to Be Graduated on Thursday Night

The senior class of 1948 will hold its graduating exercises in the Hope High School auditorium Thursday night, May 27, at seven-thirty o'clock. The Honorable Bon T. Laney will deliver the class address.

The four top ranking students will discuss the theme "Our Democracy".

The order of the program follows:

Processional—Luther Holloman

Invocation—Rev. S. A. Whitlow

"America" (First stanza), sung by Audience; Clifford Franks, leader.

Theme: Our Democracy

"Threat to Democracy" — Jo Rene Evans, Saluatorian.

"Definition of Democracy" — David Newbern.

"My Own U.S.A.", Westphal-Senior Girls' Group; Mrs. W. N. Kellner, Accompanist.

"History of Democracy" — Betty Jo Collins.

"Nature of Democracy" — Lloyd Thrasher, Valedictorian.

"I Am An American", Schuster-Boys' Quartet.

Class Address — The Honorable Bon T. Laney, Governor of Arkansas.

Awarding of Diplomas—R. M. LaGrone, Jr., president, Board of Education.

Special Awards—R. E. Baker, principal, Hope High School.

Recessional.

Poppy Day Set Saturday May 29

Memorial poppies which the people of Hope will wear in honor of the war dead on Poppy Day, Saturday, May 29, have been received by the Leslie Huddleston Unit of the American Legion Auxiliary. The supplies came from Lt. R. Fort, Red Cross hospital where the little red flowers were made by disabled veterans of both world wars working under supervision of the Poppy Department of the Auxiliary.

Making these flowers has provided interesting employment for veterans at the hospital all during the winter and spring months, explained Mrs. McCloughan, Poppy Chairman of the Auxiliary Unit. It has helped keep their hands and minds busy, relieving them of long hours of tedium and contributing its occupational therapy value toward their recovery.

"Poppy making has given these veterans the encouraging experience of being able to earn money again after many months of idleness. They are paid by the Auxiliary for each poppy they make and are able to earn helpful amounts during the poppy-making season."

"Much of the money is sent home by the veterans to help support their wives and children, who often have a difficult time when the veterans require hospitalization and are unable to work for long periods. It gives the veterans a decided lift in morale when they are able to send something to their families. Those without dependents use the money to create a nest egg for themselves against the day when they leave the hospitals and are able to earn helpful amounts during the poppy-making season."

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The flowers are made of crepe paper in replica of the little wild poppies of France and Flanders, which grew on the battlefields and cemeteries of the two world wars."

Information Available to Cotton Farmers

Hempstead county cotton farmers may now make application for free classification and market news service on this year's crop, county agent Oliver L. Adams announced today.

To be eligible for this service, groups must organize, adopt a variety of cotton, arrange for sampling, file applications, and most certain other requirements of the Smith-Doxey Act.

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Newsmen Have Narrow Escape in Jerusalem

Jerusalem, May 24—(Delayed) Seven newsmen had a narrow escape today when a shell exploded in a street as they drove by.

The newsmen were Kenneth Bell, New York Herald Tribune; Robert P. Martin, New York Post; Cornell Acheson, Indianapolis News; John Calder, Reuters; and three members of the Associated Press staff, Bureau Chief Carter L. Davidson and Photographers James Pringle and Tom Fitzsimmons.

Shell fragments dented the Associated Press car, but none of the group was hurt.

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20 Years Ago Today

In the past 4 days 263 miners have lost their lives in mine accidents—Dr. J. K. Autrey and J. C. Johnson were elected to the Columbus school board—Last year's prize watermelon out-weighted 1442 pounds—County candidates: Judge—John L. Wilson and J. L. Eley; Sheriff—Dorsey McRae; Jim Bearden; Robert Evans and Powell White; County treasurer—C. N. Trimble, R. C. Stuart, L. L. Pilkinton, R. W. Muldrow, C. M. Lewis, J. Frank Ward and Lillie Middlebrooks; Circuit Clerk—Willie Harris, Frank Hicks, Lex Wolff, M. A. Holt and Dan Harkness.

Leroy Haltom Dies; Funeral Held Tuesday

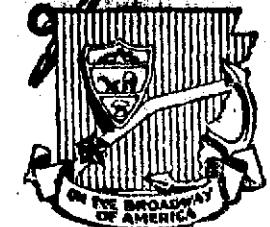
Leroy Louis Haltom, 30, of Spring Hill, died early Monday at Booneville sanatorium, and the funeral service was held at 3 o'clock this afternoon (Tuesday) in the Baptist church at Spring Hill. Burial services were held at the cemetery, with Hermon-Cornelius Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Haltom is survived by his wife, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Haltom of Spring Hill; two sisters, Mrs. J. D. Smith of Hope and Miss Virginia Haltom of Spring Hill; and one brother, L. K. Haltom of Spring Hill.

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Hope Star



WEATHER FORECAST

Arkansas: Cloudy to partly cloudy, scattered showers in south this afternoon, south portion to night. Cooler tonight. Wednesday partly cloudy.

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New Secretary



Balanced Farming List Closes June 1

Entries in the Arkansas Balanced Farming Contest—where every entrant wins whether he gets an award or not—will close June 1.

The state-wide plan has increased to 50 cents for the first place and it now stands certain the 1948 competition will exceed last year's total of 14,000 entrants. Prizes in this contest are offered by the Memphis Commercial Appeal, Arkansas Power & Light Co. and hundreds of local business firms all over the state—a total prize list of \$15,000 for state and counties combined.

Working with the contest plans are all the public farm agencies and organizations, including: County agents, FSA supervisors, home demonstration agents, GI instructors, and many others.

Enrollment cards may be obtained from any of the farm offices.

While the original supply in Hempstead county was exhausted recently a new supply of 100 cards

is available for the west-end.

If you farm for a living, look up one of the agricultural offices today and get your name on an enrollment card. You may win a county or district prize, or even one of the top awards—and even if you don't win you will be benefitted by participating in a program designed to improve your farm business.

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Fight Continues as Arabs Study Proposed Truce

Cairo, May 25—(P)—Heavy fighting continued in and around Jerusalem today while political representatives of the seven Arab states met in Trans-Jordan to consider a United Nations request for a truce in Palestine.

The Jewish Army reported in Tel Aviv that Jewish forces recaptured Ramat Rachel, Jewish village halfway between Jerusalem and Bethlehem, where a strong Arab assault yesterday routed Jewish defenders. Haganah also said the Jewish Air Force bombed enemy positions around Jerusalem just after midnight.

Arabs resumed shelling Ramat Rachel, the Jewish communiqué said. The village was taken yesterday in an attack by two Egyptian companies, forces of King Abdullah's Trans-Jordan Legion and Arab irregulars supported by field guns. Haganah regrouped its forces and counter-attacked. Casualties were reported heavily on both sides.

Prior to their conference at Amman, King Abdullah's capital, Arab leaders indicated they will stop shooting only if Zionists give up the idea of a sovereign Jewish state and disband the Jewish Army. The Jews were reconsidered certain to reject such demands.

A member of the Iraqi cabinet

told a reporter in Baghdad the

Arabs will accept the security

council plea only if sufficient

guarantees are given that the Jews will not establish a state and partition

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Delegate



NEA Telephoto Roy Hranicky of Orange Grove, Texas has been selected

for one of the eleven delegates

from seven states

three months or more in Europe

under the International Farm

Youth Exchange Project.

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11-Cent Wage Hike Granted GM Employees

Detroit, May 25—(P)—General Motors Corp. granted an unique 11-cent an hour wage boost today to avert a strike of its 225,000 CIO production workers.

The company said the formula would cost it about \$75,000,000 a year. But GM called it "the new approach to the living cost problem."

A GM strike had been set for Friday by the CIO United Auto Workers.

HERE'S HOW NEW WAGE PLAN WORKS

Detroit, May 25—(P)—Here's the way the General Motors wage raise agreement with the CIO-United Auto Workers operates:

A man is paid \$1.50 an hour, he gets an

Taft Counting

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Taft's interests were in the hands of veteran national Committeeman R. B. Creager. Taft was conceded a big majority of the 33 delegates after a contest with a small faction favoring Gov. Thomas E. Dewey. Most of Stassen's men were aiming for second choice support.

The Texas Republican meeting coincided with a calm by Taft in Washington that he is counting on two-thirds of the 267 Republican delegates from 12 southern and three border states.

Gov. Dewey, fresh from his victory over Stassen for Oregon's 12-vote delegation headed east after visits to Idaho and Montana. He spoke at Butte last night, calling for U. S. world leadership and a "general house-cleaning" in Washington.

Late Oregon primary returns—nearly complete—showed Dewey leading Stassen by 9,037 votes.

On the Democratic side in Oregon, a write-in vote gave Supreme Court Justice William O. Douglas top place for the vice-presidential nomination. Wyoming, Montana, and Alaskan delegations are pledged to Senator O'Mahoney (D-Wyo.) for second place on the Democratic ticket.

Taft's camp has claimed the Oklahomans will have about 300 votes on the first Philadelphia ballot and will top the list. Dewey's men claim an equal number and say their man will be the leader.

Texas names a 50-vote delegation today in a state convention torn between factions for and against President Truman and a riddle-of-the-road group.

Long State Republicans pick 33 delegates expected to be largely in the camp of Senator Taft of Ohio.

The Democrats met at Brownwood, the Republicans at Corpus Christi. It was the president's delegate picking of the day.

Party loyalty, an issue among the Democrats there four years ago when the state sent pro and anti-Roosevelt delegations to the national convention, was the big question again today.

One group favored a delegation instructed for the president; a second wanted an un instructed delegation opposed to the president and his civil rights program but willing to stand by him if nominated. A third was anti-Truman all the way.

Twenty-three presidential electors also were to be named by the Democrats. Two states, Alabama and South Carolina, have named electors pledged against the president in the Republican convention.

ASTHMA

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Social and Personal

Phone 768 Between 9 A.M. and 4 P.M.

Social Calendar

Tuesday, May 25
The Cosmopolitan Club will have its annual dinner on Tuesday, May 25 at 7 p.m. at the Barlow Hotel. All members are urged to be present.

Friday, May 28
The Friday Music Club will meet Friday evening, May 28 at seven o'clock at the home of Mrs. Garrett Story.

Wednesday, May 26
The Brownie Scout Troop No. 1 with Mrs. Herbert Lewellen and Mrs. Hinton Davis, leaders, will meet Wednesday, May 26, at four o'clock at the Methodist church.

Flowers-Hollis Wedding
Columbized Friday, May 21
Mr. and Mrs. Sid Flowers of Spring Hill announce the marriage of their daughter, Barbara Jean to Joe Hollis Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hollis of Patmos, Arkansas. The marriage was columbized at the home of the Reverend W. E. Thompson in Prescott, Friday evening at eight o'clock, May 21.

The couple's only attendants were Miss Betty Jane Kidd and Charles Majorie Ann Betts and Charles E. Lewis.

The bride is a graduate of Spring Hill High School and the groom was recently discharged from the Armed Services where he served eighteen months and was in the European theater.

Engagement of Betty Ruth Coleman Announced

The engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Betty Ruth Coleman, daughter of Mrs. Joe Coleman and the late Mr. Coleman to Donald Ray Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Woods of Fort Worth, Texas, is announced by her mother.

The wedding will take place at three o'clock in the afternoon, Sunday, June 6 in the Little Chapel in the Woods at Denton, Texas.

Miss Coleman is a graduate of Hope High School and is attending T.S.C.W. She is majoring in Art Education and is in her Junior Year.

Mr. Smith graduated from Fort Worth, Texas, and is attending Texas Christian University in Fort Worth.

Miss Marietta Downs Hostess to Y.W.A.

The Y.W.A. of the First Baptist church met Monday evening at 7 o'clock at the home of Miss Marietta Downs on East Second Street.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Miss Mary Lulu Parsons. Following the roll call and reading and adoption of minutes, the program presented over a short business session.

It was announced that the Y.W.A. had been awarded the Standard of Excellence Charter for this year and it was voted to have it framed and put in the Young People's Department of the church. Committee reports were given and it was voted to make tray cards for the hospitals for the May Community Missions project.

Following the business meeting, the program was turned over to the program chairman, Miss Louise Porter who chose as the program topic, "Together-Building a Denomination." The devotional was given by Miss Porter and was taken from I Corinthians. The following parts were given: Prayer by Miss Porter; Bible Distribution by Miss Margaret Blake; "Soul Winning" by Miss Alice Stewart; "Gifts to Missions" by Miss Wanda Russel.

During the social hour, the hostess served a delicious sandwich and dessert plate to eleven members the two councilors, Mrs. Jesse Brown and Mrs. William Keltner.

Coming and Going

Mrs. Joe Coleman has as houseguest, her mother Mrs. Nina Munn of Warren, Arkansas.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Young and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Monts returned Sunday from a vacation trip to Pensacola and other points in Florida.

The Reverend and Mrs. S. A.

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Political Announcements

The Star is authorized to announce that the following are candidates for public office submitted to the action of the Democratic primary elections July 27 and August 10:

For Congress,
(7th Congressional District)
HENRY E. WHITLEY
OREN HARRIS

For Representative
(Post No. 1)
GLEN WALKER
THURSTON A. HULSEY

For Representative
(Post No. 2)
ED LESTER

For County Judge
C. COOK
FRED A. LUCK

For Circuit Clerk
JOHN L. WILSON, JR.
(MISS) OMERA EVANS

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JOHN GORDON PRESCOTT
CECIL E. WEAVER

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Jackson, Miss., May 25 — The anti-Southern Democrats of the Southern tier have made Jackson their political capital. A political nucleus has been formed, called the States' Rights Campaign Committee. The chairman of the States' Rights Campaign Committee is Wallace Wright, who speaks with a persuasive magnolia drawl but is nevertheless a Kansan. This magnolia drawl may be infectious or a practical affection. O. B. Keeler, the Atlanta journalist, who was Bobby Jones' personal historian throughout his career as golf comes from Kansas City, Mo., but he can say "Please ma'm" to telephoned girls, if that sweetness which is the envy and despair of the Yankee and in the movies, is usually associated with contemptible but enviable cads and scoundrels. Mr. Keeler, poor devil, is neither a cad nor a bouter but just another of us ink-stained wretches.

But today the lean lefty, who got his training on the sandlot diamond of Detroit, is runner-up in the league strike-out competition with 33 whiffs, three behind his teammate, Virgil Trucks. And his control is excellent. In 54 innings pitched he has walked only 21 batters.

Yesterday, winning his second straight game, he struck out six batters and walked two as the Tigers topped Washington, 5 to 2, at Detroit. He started out slowly, yielding three of seven hits. The Nats got in the first inning.

Paul Campbell gave Newhouse enough runs in the first when he enough runs in the first when he hit with the bases loaded. Pat Mullin hit a Tiger homer in the third.

At last, just about then, even their most faithful followers had given up hope. The Dodgers ended an eight-game losing streak with a well earned 9 to 4 triumph over the Reds at Brooklyn. The victory put the Dodgers out of eighth place and ended the longest home losing streak of the managerial regime of Lou Durante.

Preacher Roe, a skinny left who won the last Dinger game, also against the Reds, pitched brilliantly, holding Cincinnati hitless for five innings and retiring 15 batters in order.

Jackie Robinson with a homer, double and single and Eddie Miksis, who hit a base-clearing double and a single provided the main offensive impact.

The Phillies ended their losing streak at four games with a 6 to 2 victory over the Cardinals at Philadelphia at night. That cut the Card National League lead to two and a half games over the Giants when they moved into the Polo Grounds tonight.

Mr. Doherty is a magnet in utilities, out of trouble with the anti-trust division of the Department of Justice. Mr. Doherty was Mr. Byoir's client in public relations. Mr. Byoir brought himself of an old story by James M. Barrie of someone who had loaned his over birthday to a dateless wain and suggested that it would be sweet for Mr. Big to lend his birthday to the paralyzed children of the U.S.A. Mr. Doherty picked up the bill of about \$75,000 for the promotion, advertising and so forth, including drinks, and if this makes you wonder whether anything ever will be on the level you ought to go see yourself in truth and beauty at the movie called "The Roosevelt Story." And so, Mr. Doherty lived lameless and solely until God called him. And old Byoir got the affectionate adulation we doilish millions for whom he had appropriate contempt, and all's well that ends well so let us get on with our story.

Mr. Wright is running a propaganda campaign against the Truman civil rights program and he asserts upon his word that no states' interests are putting up any money for it. Inasmuch as it appears to me to have called for only a few thousand dollars, aside from radio time, I see no reason to doubt him. As to the radio time, of which there has been much devoted to the states' rights movement, I have to say that I think it was cheap time, which is to say church-time or working-time. People who aren't in church at church-time on Sundays are either sleeping, washing the car, fishing or getting Charlie-horse playing ball with the nasty little brat next door who probably lolls. Nobody listens to working-time propaganda except morning bartenders who would be better off doing their work and drivers of those enormous freighters who are twitching with unease to keep them out of the canyons. Then and a few weary wisps blowing hair out of their eyes over washtubs beneath the cottonwoods and wondering if it ever does come true that the handsome stranger drapes the country girl in jewels and furs and introduces her to Justice Murphy in the Stork Club.

Now there have been many insinuations that those American states which have ocean frontage

have oil offshore have joined together in a vicious plot against the United States of America. Mississippi is a state with coastal oil. Louisiana is another. All such states and some with other potential treasures to defend against invasion by the nation's government have an interest in the continuing claim of the subministers states to the value of, and the right to regulate, such oil deposits. But during the last years of Harold Ickes as secretary of the interior he claimed all these natural resources for the nation, as a whole, and by the very vehemence of his claim Ickes damned as thieves and traitors those persons, including the attorneys general of sovereign states, who opposed his view. Thus he put in a bad position all who would assert the claims of states to their own submarine oil if it be their own as it might be.

Does it begin to appear that a question of states' rights becomes very prominent here?

The governor of Mississippi, Fanning L. Wright, is a states' rights man on this oil proposition. If he weren't, Mississippi never would have elected him governor. The governors of other littoral oil states also are states' rights men, including Governor Warren of California.

Mississippi and other states of the southern tier have other important issues in the field of states' rights which undoubtedly could involve bloodshed or the avoidance of this tragedy in the next few years. These are personal and social issues as between white persons and Negroes.

Is it wrong of these states to encourage big owners of their offshore oil acreage to finance their rights? Any citizen may contribute politics and propaganda of states' rights? Any citizen may contribute a nickel or a dollar to this expensive contest. Why not a million, if that citizen feels sufficiently aroused? After all, how much did the mine workers and the C. I. O. contribute to Roosevelt? And why restrict the contest to one of claims to material resources?

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Rocks Salvage Single Game of Series

By The Associated Press Nashville took the fourth game of the series with Memphis last night, 6-2, on one big inning to lead by a full game as Atlanta blanked second-place Birmingham, 27 and August 10:

The Vols, who dropped the opening game to Memphis, won easily on Dick Conger's two-hit hurling to take a lead in the meeting.

Chattanooga made it three straight over Little Rock by taking the first of a twin bill 2-1, but the Travelers rallied for five runs in the eighth inning of the nightcap to salvage the series finale, 3-3.

Larry Drake, Chattanooga outfielder, tripled in the first game and homered in the second to extend his hitting streak to 32 contests.

New Orleans and Mobile were rained out in the latter's park, and play a twin bill tonight. Atlanta and Birmingham also play tonight to conclude their series while the other clubs are idle.

Alex Zukowski bested Little Rock's Lou Perine in a duel in the first game, allowing four hits. Perine gave up five. Marlin Stuart was the winner in the nightcap on seven hits.

Tonight's schedule:

Atlanta at Birmingham

New Orleans at Mobile

Only games scheduled.

SPORTS ROUNDUP

By Hugh E. Fullerton Jr.

Around the Arkansas Sport Loop

By CARL BELL

Fayetteville, Ark., May 25 — (AP) — The fact that Clyde (Smackover Scott, the superman of University of Arkansas sports, won three first places and was the outstanding individual of the recent Southwest Conference track and field meet is only one half of the story. The other is that he had promised to do just that.

A week before the Southwest meet Scott ran the 100-yard dash for the first time and tied the world record of 9.4 seconds.

But Razorback Track Coach Hobart Hooser announced that the Smackover speedster would not compete in that event in the conference meet. Scott, Hooser insisted, is a hurdler by trade. He has good chance of winning a berth on the U. S. Olympic team as a hurdler and his chances of making a showing in the hurdles should not be jeopardized by fatigue caused by running the 100, the coach reasoned. The century is run before the high and low hurdle events in a track meet.

On the way to Houston, Scott, thirty-five seasons ago, advanced to the finals in the 100-yard dash of the Ojai, Calif., 2 and 3.

Turnesa, trailing by two holes after the twenty-seventh, stuck to the task and caught up at number 35 when Harmon drove into a trap and went one over par. Mike continued steadily all the way and won out on the thirty-seventh.

To Probe British Sales to Arabs

By JOHN L. STEELE

Washington, May 25—(UPI)—Paul G. Hoffman, chief of the European Recovery Program, today promised to investigate and report to Congress on charges that American aid has enabled Britain to arm the Arabs for fighting in Palestine.

He also assured the Senate Appropriations Committee that no ERP funds would be used directly for purchase of arms for European nations or be channeled into accounts for payment of troops.

Committee Chairman Styles Bridges, R. N., told Hoffman that Senators had requested an inquiry into the question of whether post-war American aid to Britain had enabled Britain, in turn, to subsidize the Jews in Israel.

After a whispered conference between Bridges and Hoffman, the ERP boss told the committee he "certainly" would investigate and report back.

Bridges earlier said it would be "very appropriate" to cut the \$124,000,000 in ERP aid earmarked

for Britain if it is shown that past U.S. aid had enabled such subsidies as the \$8,000,000 payment made to King Abdullah of Trans-Jordan for his Arab Legion.

Hoffman and Deputy Administrator Richard M. Bissell, Jr., said an agreement with Argentina would be sought before any spending for ERP is done. Hoffman rejected Bridges' suggestion that legislation on the subject might be required, reminding the senator that "we can use the power of the purse very advantageously."

Hoffman described as "out of the blue" newspaper reports that W. Averell Harriman, ERP chief abroad, had told a Paris news conference that in event of settlement of U.S.-Soviet differences the entire ERP program might be revised to provide for Soviet participation.

Harriman will be questioned on this score tomorrow.

The issue of British aid for Arab forces in Palestine may spur sharp debate on whether recovery funds can or should be used by the U.S. to force political concessions from receiving countries.

Hoffman told a news conference even before the Senate confirmed his appointment that he planned to steer ERP out of international politics.

Two hundred eleven women are now serving in 48 state legislatures in the United States.

Russia May Be Pulling Same Trick Which Prizefighters Often Use in Ring Bouts

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
AP Foreign Affairs Analyst

It's an old trick of theistic ring for a fighter to create overconfidence in his opponent by stimulating carelessness or weakness, and then try to administer the knockout.

We are witnessing a variation of this ruse, I believe, in Moscow's "peace" offensive against Washington. This is a thinly disguised effort to create the impression that (1) benevolent Russia wants peace and that (2) a warmongering America rejects the venture.

The latest phase of the "peace" drive was the week-end blitz from Moscow, blaming the U.S.A. for the present state of relations between the two countries. The official news agency, Tass, released a statement to that effect, and said it reflected "the attitude of leading circles in the Soviet government."

Perhaps these spacious maneuvers are tricking some folk, but informed observers recognize the developments as part and parcel of the world revolution for the spread of Communism. If you check closely the current events in Europe and Asia, relatively still in recent days, perhaps, but highly significant—you will see that the Red mill keeps right on grinding out the grisly grist for Bolshevism.

What then has Russia hoped to achieve by its "peace" gesture? Well, there are several obvious objectives and the Muscovites have approached them in the spirit of the sleight-of-hand artist who tells his audience "It's a good trick if I do it, and it's a good trick if I don't."

One objective undoubtedly is to try to confuse public thinking in the United States, and lessen resistance to Communism. Intervention in the presidential campaign was an important feature of this effort.

By the same token, the "peace" offensive and the warmongering charges against America constitute a Red hornbill which the Soviets are drawing across the trail of the Marshall Plan and other Democratic efforts. This same schema is being worked in Korea, which the Communists are determined to take over, come hell or high water, thereby securing one of the world's most important military bases.

Naturally the hardening of the stand of the Western European parties against Communism has had much to do with Moscow's "peace" diversion. The Marshall plan is getting underway. Alliances are being formed to fight Red aggression. The Democratic citizens of France and Italy have given the big Communist parties in their countries a terrific political trouncing, thereby weakening Moscow's two strongest bases in Western Europe.

And it was left to tiny but valiant Finland to put an exclamation point after this anti-Communist resistance at the week-end. Although she sits right under Russia's big guns, President Paasikivi dismissed Communist Minister of the Interior Leino after the Finnish parliament had passed a vote of censure on Leino for permitting the extradition of 30 persons to the Soviet Union, and of police treatment of arrested Finnish officers in 1945. This was high defiance for the minister of the interior, who controls the country's police and therefore is the most powerful member of the premier's official family.

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Facts About Trouble in Palestine

By JAMES MARLOW

Washington, May 24—(UPI)—Here's an explanation if you're foggy on what's happened so far in the Jewish-Arab war in Palestine.

The Arabs have attacked the Jews from three directions: North, South and at Jerusalem. The heavy fighting has been at Jerusalem.

Since this is such a mixed-up war, a mixed-up place, tackle it step by step.

Jews and Arabs have lived side

Harris Seeks

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our valiant young men who won the war we would fight long and hard for a lasting peace. We have not given up the fight and we do not intend to give it up. Because of an inside job of sabotage, the United Nations is still weak but with God's help we intend to stay on the job and against all forces make a strong United Nations as a bulwark for peace throughout the World," said Congressman Harris.

"I have likewise worked for the conservation of our timber resources, and we have now the best forestry program that we have ever had in this country. I have served on a special committee in the interest of timber and timber products, forestry resources and conservation, and am therefore familiar with the problems and their importance."

Mr. Harris has been a member of the Petroleum Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce for six years and is considered one of the leaders in the Congress on the problems affecting the industry. His efforts in the interest of oil problems are well known.

"I am now and have always tried to be a friend of labor. I have been opposed to some abuses fostered by a few national leaders but I have endeavored to work and support all measures to promote the welfare of the rank and file of labor. I shall continue to work for the maintenance of the collective bargaining act for the establishment of better management and labor relations, fair to all parties concerned, promoting adequate wages for adequate work."

"I have consistently worked for a balanced budget and a balanced economy. He feels there are no more important objectives in our national picture than those of tax equality, government economy and tax relief. These problems have been met and are being met objectively and he believes successfully.

"Even though we have an enormous war debt and are required to spend billions for our national defense, we have balanced the budget this second consecutive year; we have reduced taxes, provided community property benefits; and endeavored to bring about Government economy."

The Congressman stated he realized when he went to Congress eight years ago that agriculture, timber and oil and gas were the three principal industries of the Seventh District. Our entire economy is based on these three great resources, he says, and feels that with the special effort and study given to them that he is in a much better position now to promote, protect and help expand them and thereby increase the economy and welfare of the people of his district.

He further says: "Agriculture is our basic product. The welfare of the farmers must be protected by adequate price formulas, soil conservation and flood control.

We are now in the process of formulating a permanent post war program. I am strongly supporting a

program of giving the local farmers a chance to work out their own problems, providing an annual appropriation of \$500,000,000 for soil

conservation practices and other benefits and assurances that will provide a sound and stable agricultural program."

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He believes the federal government should more directly participate in the education of our children.

"We are spending millions of dollars," he said, "indirectly in our educational system. The Federal Aid bill before the Congress,

is a better and more direct approach in order that we may have more money available for teachers and schools continued control by local school districts."

"We have provided a post war road program adopting a policy of

it being administered by the states on a matching basis. Federal funds are now available for this program as fast as the State can carry it out."

Mr. Harris says there are some of the many major domestic problems before the Congress. It is

impossible to go into all these

matters now that will demand our attention in the future, but he

wishes to stress the fact that he

has never side-stepped an issue because it was difficult and controversial. He has at all times been

ready to stand up and be counted and claims a record of never having evaded a roll call.

Forty-four years of age, Con-

gressman Harris is a native and

lifelong resident of the District

County, and they have two child-

ren, Carolyn and Jimmie. He

emphasized the fact that his eight

years of service will entitle him

to major consideration in commit-

tees and other assignments.

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Kidnapped Youth Found, Admits All a Hoax

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